(iii) pointless or avoidable scenes of violence, cruelty and horror are not shown;

(iii-a) scenes which have the effect of justifying or glorifying drinking are not shown;

(iv) human sensibilities are not offended by vulgarity, obscenity and depravity etc.

The above guidelines are adequate to check the exhibition of crime films which are not responsible and sensitive to the values and standards of the society.

12-00 Noon

REFERENCE TO THE SIGNING OF THE INTERMEDIATE-RANGE NUCLEAR FORCES (INF) AGREEMENT BETWEEN PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN OF THE U.S.A. AND THE GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE U.S.S.R. MR. MIKHAL GORBACHOV AT WASHINGTON ON DECEMBER 8, 1987

MR. CHAIRMAN: As the hon Members are aware, the United States and the Soviet Union have signed yesterday a treaty to eliminate medium range nuclear weapons from Europe. It is a historic agreement and we hail it as a major step towards achieving the goal of ridding the world of the meanace of nuclear holocaust. I hope Members will join me in extending to the President of the United States, Mr. Ronald Reagan, and the Soviet leader, Mr. Mikhail Gorbachov, our sincere and hearty felicitations for taking such an important and far-reaching step in the interest of world peace. Truly this occasion is a matter of jubilation in as much as it is a stepping stone towards constructive relations between the two super powers and eventual nuclear disarmament. There is no doubt that if such constructive efforts continue the world will be a better and a more peaceful place to live in. We acclaim this event of the signing of the treaty and join the rest of the mankind in urging upon the super powers not to rest content with this Treaty, but relentlessly pursue the final goal of achieving total disarmament and elimination of nuclear warheads. We trust, given goodwill and cooperation and conducive atmosphere, the goal will not be far away to be reached.

SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA (Andhra Pradesh): Sir, Mr. Gorbachov's name should come before Mr. Reagan, because he is mainly responsible for the Treaty.

SHRI DIPEN GHOSH (West Bengal): Sir, the order has to be changed because the initiative was that of Mr. Gorbochov.

MR. CHAIRMAN: The reason why I named Reagan first was that the agreement was reached on the soil of the United States. So, don't have that argument now, please.

STATEMENT BY MINISTER

Correcting the reply given in the Rajya Sabha on the 30th November, 1987 to Unstarred Question 2359, regarding Committee to look into the import of Anti-TB drug intermediates

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICALS AND PETRO-CHEMICALS IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI R. K. JAICHANDRA SINGH): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a statement (in English and Hindi) correcting the reply given in the Rajya Sabha on the 30th November, 1987, to Unstarred Question 2359, regarding Committee to look into the import of Anti-TB drug intermediates [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-5250/87].

SHRI N. E. BALARAM (Kerala): Sir, during this session this is the fifth time the Ministers are correcting their answers. So, when they are giving answers to the Members' ques-

tions, they are not taking the questions seriously. They are again and again coming and asking for permission to lay the correct version. This is the fifth time they are doing. I want a ruling from the Chairman

MR. CHAIRMAN: There is no ruling. I would only say, while answering, the Government should be more careful. In this case they have tried to correct it as early as they could.

SHRI JAGESH DESAI (Maharashtra): My point is if correction is substantial, they should read the correction and then lay it.

MR CHAIRMAN: Yes, they should read the correction first and then lay. Now, Papers laid on the Table.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Report and Accounts (1986-87) of the Singhareni Collieries Company Limited, Khammam (Andhra Pradesh) and related papers

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI VASANT SATHE). Sir, I beg to lay on the Table, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956, a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:—

(i) Sixty-Sixth Annual Report and Accounts of the Singhareni Collieries Company Limited, Khammam (Andhra Pradesh), for the year 1986-87, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon

(ii) Review by Government on the working of the Company.

[Placed in Library. *See* No LT-5207/87 for (i) and (ii)]

Indian Telegraph (Fifth Amendment) Rules, 1987

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table under sub-section (5) of section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885, a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Communications (Department of Telecommunications), Notification G.S.R. No. 837(E), dated the 5th October, 1987, publishing the Indian Telegraph (Fifth Amendment) Rules 1987 [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT.-5208/87].

Report and Accounts (1985-86) of the Pawan Hans Limited, New Delhi and related papers

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION AND THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table—

I. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of Section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

(i) Annual Report and Accounts of the Pawan Hans Limited, New Delhi, for the year 1985-86, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the Comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(ii) Review by Government on the working of the Company.

II Statement (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at I (i) above.

[Placed in Library *See* No. LT-5328/87 for I. and II.]

Railway Protection Force Rules, 1987

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): Sir, On behalf of SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA, I beg to lay on the Table, under sub-section (3) of section 21 of the Railway Protection Force Act, 1957, a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Railways Notification G.S.R No. 951(E), dated the 3rd December, 1987, publishing the Railway Protection Force Rules, 1987 [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-5263/87].